Wisconsin Emergency Operations Center

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Overview- The National Weather Services (NWS) is forecasting light rain showers across the state during the next 24 hours. Less than a half inch of rain is expected in southwestern and west central Wisconsin.

County assessment teams continue surveying damage to public infrastructure (roads, bridges, etc.) and submitting to Wisconsin Emergency Management preliminary cost estimates to repair that damage. In addition, homeowners and businesses that sustained damage have reported to county emergency management offices. Here is the latest update by county (not all counties have reported):

Damage to homes and businesses				
County	Affected/Minor Damage	Major Damage	Destroyed	Total
Adams				\$9,000
CN Railroad (in Chippewa Co)				\$100,000
Chippewa	12	3	0	\$200,000
Clark	6	3	0	\$100,000
Eau Claire	45	5	0	\$300,000
Jackson	0	0	0	0
La Crosse	8	0	0	\$9,000
Monroe	25	0	0	\$162,500
Richland	59	8	3	\$740,000
Vernon	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	153	19	3	\$1,620,500

Damage to Public Infrastructure (Roads, Bridges, Trails)			
Adams	\$168,100		
Chippewa	\$300,000		
Clark	\$937,776		
Crawford	\$1,886,070		
Eau Claire	\$360,000		
Jackson	\$586,000		
La Crosse	\$349,909		
Monroe	\$7,350		
Richland	\$870,650		
Vernon	\$2,500,000		
Wood	\$63,635		
TOTAL	\$8,028,581		

Wisconsin Department of Transportation reports as of 2:00 p.m., WIS 131 is closed from County S to County U (Readstown to Viola) for roadway embankment failure. In addition, many county and town roads remain closed as water continues to recede. Motorists should continue to use safety precautions and expect to encounter work crews assessing roadways and making repairs.

The State Emergency Operations Center is at Level 5 with Wisconsin Emergency Management's 24-hour duty officer and senior duty officer monitoring events.

Press releases and other information on this incident can be found at http://readywisconsin.wi.gov.

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